



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5092

LCO No. 283

Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:

REP. MILLER L., 122nd Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING PREVAILING WAGE THRESHOLDS AND
THEIR APPLICABILITY TO INSTITUTIONS OF ART AND CULTURE.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 31-53 of the general statutes be amended to increase the
- 2 threshold amount for public works projects requiring contractors to
- 3 abide by the prevailing wage laws to seven hundred fifty thousand
- 4 dollars for new construction and two hundred fifty thousand dollars
- 5 for renovation projects and to exempt all institutions of art and culture
- 6 from abiding by the prevailing wage laws.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide financial relief to the state and municipalities by increasing the threshold amount for public works projects which require contractors to pay prevailing wages and to encourage institutions of art and culture to undertake construction or renovation projects.